

First Annual Membership Meeting

Monday, June 5th 2023

Attendance:

In person:

- Nichole Long
- Ashley Dawn Miller
- Katie Cameron
- Marlaina Sparr
- Amanda Bell Mullins
- Ashley Medrano
- Shawnalee Caley
- Kaylee Renae Amundson

On Zoom:

- Felicia Nicholson
- Cerissa Charron
- Krystal Bowels
- Rachel Dray

Nichole Long led the meeting.

-Nichole began the meeting with discussing the mission of The Dance Project NW Foundation. As well as briefly discussing the bylaws.

-fundraising opportunities were briefly discussed.

- individual fundraising will go to individuals dance accounts (eligible fees outlined in bylaws)

- discussion of individual fundraising opportunities. Such as: Krispy Kreme, Camano island Coffee, Car Wash and more.

- general fundraising goes to opportunities such as fees, master classes.

- discussion of general fundraising opportunities. Such as: 50 50 raffle at recitals, flower sales at Recital, sponsoring from local businesses and more.

-committees for both general and individual fundraising will eventually be formed in near future. As of now will be delegated/handled by executive board.

- described what membership of the Dance Project NW membership requires and definition.

* Amanda Bell Mullins asked if there was going to be a membership fee. Both Nichole Long and Ashley Dawn Miller explained that there are no fees required to be a member. (In the bylaws it explains a dancer actively attending allows the parent guardian or decision making adult(payer of account) to be a voting member.

* Krystal Bowels asked if the mini and petite dancers will have an opportunity to learn and grow with the foundations opportunities of growth and development in dance. Nichole Long explained that all ages and skills will be able to participate in master classes and growth classes offered by the foundation. The only time they will not be included is within special opportunities awarded at competition. These opportunities are only for intermediate and advanced dances.

* Ashley Medrano asked in regards to businesses sponsoring said team or individual dancers if that will be honored. Nichole Long explained that if the Donor specifies at time of donation said money must go towards what donor is requesting.

Nichole Long introduced the members that were nominated to be voting in as the Executive board. Explained that if anyone had a nomination to please speak their nomination. No new nominations brought forward. Members voting in Executive board

Results were as follows:

- President: Nichole Long
- Vice president: Katie Cameron
- Secretary: Ashley Dawn Miller
- Treasurer: Marlaina Sparr

No objections were made

Nichole Long Adjourned the meeting

Snacks and beverages were consumed.

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